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In re the Application of:

SUGANO, Masaru et al.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 12, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the 35 USC §102(e) rejection of claims 1-26 as anticipated by Sezan et al. (previously applied).

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